La Mesa Branch Library

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MARCH 2014

Library Hours

M-Th: 9:30AM – 8PM

F-S: 9:30AM – 5PM, Sun: 12 – 5PM

Text: (619) 928-2251

Children's Programs

Storytimes

Baby (0-18 months) Tuesdays at 11:30 am Bilingual Spanish & English (all ages) Tuesdays at 4:30 pm Grandparents and Books: Miss Betty Reads (all ages) Wednesdays at 11:00 am

PJ Storytime (all ages) Wednesdays at 6:30 pm Preschool (3-5 year olds) Thursdays at 10:30 am Toddler (1-3 year olds) Fridays at 10:30 am

Afternoon Kids' Craft

Create a different craft each week (5-10 year olds) Thursdays at 3:30 pm.

LEGO Club

Join the fun and build with other LEGO fans. In-house LEGO toys will be provided. Mondays, March 10 & 24 at 4:00 pm

Teens (6th-12th grade)

Homework Help

Homework help in Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry for middle school & high school students. Sign up required. Contact library @ 619.469.2151. Every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 4:15 pm

Magazine Strip Art

Using strips of shredded magazine pages and a silhouette cover sheet you'll be able to hang this abstract art and impress your friends and family. Open to 6th-12th graders only. Refreshments provided. Thursday, March 13, 4:00 pm

Reading On The Edge

We'll read books that involve race, religion, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender, and more. Pick up a copy of this month's selection.

Tuesday, Mach 11, 4:00 pm

Teen Advisory Committee

Teens advise the library on what future teen events to have, design the teen program flyer, decorate the teen room, and pick what books, music, and games to buy. Attendance can count as community service. Open to 6th-12th graders. Refreshments provided. Thursday, March 27, 4:00 pm

Ongoing

Scrabble Club

Stop in and play with other Scrabble fans. Mondays, 4 to 6 pm Chess Club

Drop in for a game with others. Wednesdays, 3 to 5 pm Knitting Club

Bring your project and chat with other knitters. Wednesdays, 6 to 8 pm Introductory Computer Classes

Learn basic computer skills, registration required. Saturdays, 8:45-9:30am Fbook Tutoring

Schedule your appointment for a one-on-one session and learn to download library ebooks. Wednesdays 3-5pm or Fridays 1-3pm

Adults

Covered CA (Affordable Healthcare) Information Table Covered California health educators from the California Health Collaborative will be here to answer any questions you have about the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare) and enrolling in Covered California. Tues. March 4, 2-6pm, Fri. March 14, 1-5pm, Wed. March 26, 1-5pm.

NOW We're Talking!

A series using art and literature as stepping stones for deep conversation about identity, community, and politics. Sign up at front desk.

Wednesday, March 5, 10:30 am - noon

Foster Parent Training with New Alternatives

Have you thought about becoming a foster parent? Hear about the certification process from a social worker from New Alternatives Foster Family Agency and ask your questions. In the police station community room, Saturday, March 8 and 22, 9:00am-1:00pm

SilverSneaker Yoga

SilverSneaker Yoga is a gentle form of yoga for seniors, done seated and standing. It is a great way to burn calories, increase core strength, improve posture, and improve your balance. Tuesdays, 8:30am-9:30am

Author Talk: Caitlin Rother

Bestselling true crime author Caitlin Rother will come to the La Mesa Library to talk about her latest work, "I'll Be There for You", about a femme fatale and the murder of an Orange County businessman. After the presentation, Ms. Rother will also sell and autograph copies of her books. In the Police Department community room. Saturday, March 15, 3:00-5:00pm

Adult Book Club

Read January's selection, *The Beautiful Mystery* by Louise Penny, and discuss with other readers. Borrow book at front desk. Wednesday, March 19 at 10:30 am

Online Book Club

New book club where you can post your thoughts online all month long, and then participate in a live online chat at month's end. Like Facebook.com/LaMesaBookClub for details. Live meeting Wednesday, March 26 @ 6pm

Club de lectura en Español

Vengan a discutir la novela *Las Viudas de los Jueves* por Claudia Piñeiro. Inscríbanse con los bibliotecarios. Lunes, 17 de marzo a 5:00 pm

Friends of the Library Bookstore
Open 1-4 PM daily.

Your library offers hundreds of free events and classes.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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30	31 All Day-Cesar Chavez Birthday Holiday Closure					